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Attorney Docket No.: SALK1280-4

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 1614

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
Evans et al.

Application No.: 08/931,694

Filed: September 16, 1997

For: USE OF SELECTIVE LIGANDS FOR
TREATMENT OF DISEASE STATES
RESPONSIVE TO STEROID OR
STEROID-LIKE HORMONES

) Group Art Unit: 1614

) Examiner: K. Jordan

) CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.8

) I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein
) are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action mailed on December 31, 1998.

The requested extension is for three (3) months, extending the period from March 31, 1999 to June 30, 1999.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the total fee of \$870.00 to cover the fee for the three (3) months extension of time, and any additional fees associated with the filing submitted herewith or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-1895. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 6/30/99

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